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## POLICY BRANCH INFORMATION

## **Satellite Space Applications Accepted for Filing**

The applications listed below have been found, upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return any of the applications if, upon further examination, it is determined the application is not in conformance with the Commission's rules or its policies. Consideration of each satellite application in this Public Notice may depend on the Commission's action on another satellite application earlier in the queue. Petitions, oppositions and other pleadings filed in response to this notice should conform to Section 25.154 of the Commission's rules, unless otherwise noted. 47 C.F.R. § 25.154.

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SES Americom, Inc.

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Special Temporary Authority

SES Americom, Inc. has filed a request for special temporary authority to permit it to test its AMC-23 spacecraft at 170° W.L. for a period of up to 120 days following launch. Launch of the spacecraft is currently scheduled for December 2005. SES states that temporary operation of AMC-23 at 170° W.L. will permit testing to occur without disruption to existing customers at 172° E.L. and will not adversely affect the operation of any other carrier's spacecraft.

For more information concerning this Notice, contact the Satellite Division at 202-418-0719; TTY 202-418-2555.